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## STATEHOOD DEFEAT

House Committee on Territories Rejected Arizona, New Mexico and Oklahoma Bills.

## THE DELEGATES ON RECORD

Action Taken Without Discussion—Nothing More Can Be Done Until the Next Congress Convenes in 1899.

Washington, D. C., Jan. 26.—Statehood legislation at this session of congress was killed today by the house committee on territories rejecting the Arizona, New Mexico and Oklahoma statehood bills by a vote of 3 to 3. The first two measures were bunched and defeated. Then the Oklahoma bill was taken up and beaten by the same vote. There was no discussion as it was understood at the last meeting that a vote was to be taken today without any further preliminaries. Delegates Smith and Ferguson, of Arizona and New Mexico, stated they wished to put themselves on record and that if allowed to vote they would vote for the bills.

## STOCK GROWERS' CONVENTION.

Committee Appointed to Draft Constitution and By-Laws—Addresses by Prominent Men.

Denver, Jan. 26.—Chairman Springer called the National Stockgrowers' convention to order at 10 o'clock this morning. A committee was chosen, one from each state represented, to draft a constitution and by-laws. The first address was on "Statistics as to values of live stock and the prospective conditions," by J. H. Neff, editor of the Drovers' Telegram, Kansas City. Figures were given to show that prices were now more than 200 per cent above the lowest point a few years ago. He expressed a fear that stock raising and feeding cattle are now bringing more money than they will bring in the market when fattened. What is true of cattle, he asserted, is also true of sheep, horses and hogs. In comparing the stock industry with that of mining, he said that if the silver men had Teller, Jones and Stewart at Washington, the stockgrowers had Dingley, Grosvonts and McKinley. He spoke optimistically upon the probable effect of the Dingley bill, especially on the sheep industry, and closed with a prediction of prosperity for the future. Governor W. A. Richards, of Wyoming, next spoke on "The session of arid public lands to states."

Governor Richards took the position that not only the arid lands but all public lands should be given to the state. They would then, he claimed, soon be made to help pay government expenses, and sooner be put in hands of actual settlers. He favored the leasing of arid lands for pasture, the proceeds to be used in aiding their reclamation by actual settlers. He said the money received from the sale of public lands had been largely used in states other than those in which the lands were situated, to the advantage of the older at the expense of the younger states.

Elwood Mead, state engineer of Wyoming, spoke on "How best to prevent clashing between sheep and cattle men on the ranges." He favored the leasing of all public lands and the breaking up of free ranges.

## CABLED FROM FOREIGN LANDS.

Steamer Belochistan and Cargo Seized by a British Gunboat—Foreign Warships at Havana.

Muscat, Asia, Jan. 26.—The British gunboat Lapwing seized the steamer Belochistan, and her cargo of arms and ammunition has been confiscated. The cargo is held by the British consul. It is presumed that the cargo of arms and ammunition seized by the Lapwing was intended for the use of the insurgents in Belochistan, who have recently been giving considerable trouble to the British.

Keeper of the Crown Jewels Dead.  
London, Jan. 26.—Lieutenant General Sir Frederick Dobson Middleton, keeper of the crown jewels, is dead. Sir Frederick Middleton was in command of the forces during the Boer rebellion in the Northwest territory, Canada, in 1895.

Foreign Warships at Havana.  
Havana, Jan. 26.—The German cruiser Charlotte, a schooner, and a British warship, have reached here. Some French warships are also expected from New Orleans.

Spanish Warship to Visit American Ports.  
Madrid, Jan. 26.—The battleship Viscaya has been ordered to visit American ports.

## ILLINOIS COAL MINERS AND OPERATORS

Schedule of Wages and Hours of Work Which Will Be Submitted by Scale Committee.

Chicago, Jan. 26.—The interstate joint convention of coal miners and operators is waiting to receive the report of the scale committee, which will be about as follows: General advance of 10 cents to date from April 1; eight hours work a day, to date from July 1; a uniform day wage scale to date from June 1. The 10 cent advance has been accorded by all but one or two members from Ohio, who, it is believed, are on the verge of surrender.

## SUBMITTED FOR ARBITRATION.

Colorado State Board Will Adjust the Difficulties Between Coal Miners and Mine Operators.

Denver, Colo., Jan. 26.—The difficulty existing between the miners and mine operators of Lafayette and Louisville, which caused a strike to exist for ten days, has been submitted to the state board of arbitration. It is believed the end of the difficulties is in sight.

## WASHINGTON WIRE

Information Wanted Regarding U. S. Jurymen in Louisiana—Teller Resolution Debate.

## CIVIL SERVICE IS A FARCE

Business of the Commission in Greatest Confusion—Judge McKenna Has Taken His Seat—President Dole in Washington.

In the Senate.  
Washington, Jan. 26.—At the opening of the senate to today Senator Hale (Maine) presented the report of the conferees on the urgent deficiency appropriation bill. It was agreed to.

Will Investigate Louisiana.  
Senator Chandler (N. H.) secured the adoption of a resolution calling upon the attorney general for a report whether there had been recent violations of the constitution in Louisiana by the exclusion from service on juries in the United States courts of duly qualified citizens on account of color.

Debate on Teller Resolution.  
Upon motion of Senator Vest (Mo.), the senate took up the Teller resolution. The debate was opened by Senator Teller. He said he would permit no man to exceed him in honor or good faith. "I would do nothing," he said, "that would bring about such a condition of affairs as would be disgraceful, whatever the opinion of the senator from Massachusetts (Hoar) may be of my opinions, or not. The Massachusetts senator tries to make it appear that my position was on a parallel with making a ten dollar piece out of a copper cent. Such a proposition I do not advance, and I do not think it would find much support in this or any other legislative body."

In the House.  
Washington, Jan. 26.—The house resumed the consideration of the Indian appropriation bill. The pending amendment was that to strike out the appropriation for the Carlisle Indian school, Congressman Sherman (Republican N. Y.) in charge of the bill, defended the work of the Carlisle school, which, he said, was the greatest industrial school in the country. Everything was taught there which is necessary to make the Indians self-supporting citizens anywhere in the world.

Did Not Take Any Action.  
Washington, Jan. 26.—The house committee on banking and currency met today, but did not take any action toward reporting any currency bill.

Civil Service a Farce.  
Washington, Jan. 26.—Rev. E. D. Bailey, chief of examiners in the office of the civil service commission, was present at today's session of the senate civil service investigating committee, and called attention to the bitter attack made on him by President Proctor, of the commission. He read a letter he had addressed to Theodore Roosevelt, the New York police commissioner, severely criticizing the commission. The letter said in part: "The business of the commission is in the greatest confusion and is becoming more and more demoralized for want of intelligent management."

"Applications remain unacted on for months, and many complaints are made by the departments of delays and annoyances which are detrimental to the service."  
"Questionable appointments have been made, and the alleged law of the necessity is not regnant, and a want of uniformity exists in all the business of the commission, and the greatest uncertainty prevails. Subordinates cannot do their work with confidence, because all precedents, practices and principles are abandoned and now once substituted. Disaster can be diverted only by an immediate remedial action, and at least three changes in office should be made at once, not for political reasons, but in the interests of the service."

Justice McKenna Took His Seat.  
Washington, Jan. 26.—Judge Joseph McKenna took his seat on the bench of the Supreme court today as an associate justice.

President Dole in Washington.  
Washington, Jan. 26.—President Dole, of Hawaii, arrived in Washington at 2:30 this afternoon.

## NEW MEXICO BILLS.

A Number of Them Introduced by Delegate Ferguson.

Washington, Jan. 26.—Delegate Ferguson has introduced the following bills: For the relief of W. A. Walker, of Albuquerque; this bill directs the postmaster general to credit to the account of Mr. Walker, late postmaster at Albuquerque, the sum of \$1,734 on account of amounts having been stolen from the safe and vaults in the post office at Albuquerque on January 24, 1896. A bill granting to George Ayers \$1,500 for a claim against the United States government for a building in Santa Fe, that was in the possession of the United States military authorities under lease from the owner in 1862. A bill for the relief of Scarpio Romero, late postmaster at Las Vegas. This is to pay \$1,100 with interest from August 1, 1885, to the present date and is on account of moneys paid by him to the post-office department at that time.

Illegal Timber Cutting Denounced.

Denver, Jan. 26.—The Colorado, New Mexico and Wyoming Lumber Dealers' association, at its annual meeting in this city today, adopted resolutions denouncing the illegal cutting of timber upon public lands, and insisting upon a more strict enforcement of the law. R. W. English, of this city, was elected president.

## SUGAR BEETS PROFIT

Beet Sugar Factories and Sugar Beet Raising of Greatest Importance to New Mexico.

## SHOULD BE ENCOURAGED

Personal Observations on the Industry by a New Mexico Citizen—Suggestions That Merit the Most Serious Consideration.

To the Editor of the New Mexican:

Santa Fe, Jan. 25.—Dear Sir:—While in California recently I took pains to investigate the sugar beet industry in that state with a view to give publicity to results for the benefit of the people of this territory. In this article I propose to quote from reliable statistics, statements of farmers and other valuable data dealing directly with facts.

As an agricultural crop in California, sugar beet farming in the beginning had to force its way to the confidence of incredulous farmers. Until after the second crop was harvested at the Chico ranch in that state, there were many who doubted the reported advantages of the industry.

The same class of doubts are expressed by many in New Mexico (as one learns in his travels), who have the land, water and facilities for procuring cheap and abundant labor. There is a want of confidence, the same as existed in California in the beginning. How different today one finds it in that state; all producers acknowledge the sugar beet to be their best friend. The New Mexicans will make the same acknowledgment, if they will apply themselves to the industry. But to meet with success, our Spanish-American farmers, who are largely in the majority, must be educated in that direction. They need leaders and encouragement. Once educated to the culture of the sugar beet, with factories to utilize the raw material, there is not a small holder of land and there are thousands, who would be able in a few years be financially well off and independent, all would prosper and be happy.

In this connection I earnestly suggest to the businessmen in every town and city in the territory, especially along the line of railroads, to organize and agitate the matter by calling weekly meetings and explaining in detail to the masses in Spanish and English the great benefit that would result to all, rich and poor, by giving this industry careful practical attention.

I suggest there be a movement at once by calling a public meeting in this city with a view to appoint committees to confer with other committees in different parts of the territory, or let there be an organization which will result in bringing about a congress of delegates from each county to the capital to discuss the benefits of this most important of all industries, and lay the plain facts before the masses with a view to their being educated as to how to handle that which must bring wealth and prosperity to all.

With the mining industry of the territory is one of its important features, all cannot be miners, at the same time a very large proportion of the masses can be sugar beet raisers. The two industries, properly developed, will place New Mexico far in the front rank of prosperity and wealth.

But to accomplish this the people must awake, organize and show a determination to succeed, and let me say right here, that if the energy, yes the energy, and money used in, and for political purposes was applied to the sugar beet industry, the very foothills would be utilized for sugar beet raising. Referring to the industry and its many great advantages, I submit the following results obtained by different individuals on lands of the Chico ranch in the state of California, to-wit:

Mr. Moore rented 36 acres of land which he planted to sugar beets. He had the team work and a large part of the labor himself, resulting in the land paying him a net profit of \$1,281.30. Mr. Day cultivated 25½ acres, harvesting 409 tons, receiving \$1,400 for same, while beets raised on 5½ acres sold for \$5.25, or at the rate of \$91.30 per acre. Mr. Fox cultivated ten acres of beets, which at \$5.10 per ton, amounted to \$78.90, and at the rate of over \$72 per acre. Gustafson Bros. purchased 20 acres of land at \$175 per acre. They harvested 436 tons, resulting in a net profit of \$68.87 per acre. Mr. Warner harvested 18 acres, receiving \$1,400 for same. Mr. Syll harvested 14 acres, yielding 230 tons of beets, realizing \$70.95 per acre. Mr. Cavanaugh harvested ten acres, yielding 22 tons per acre, of 10 per cent beets, which were sold for \$5.10 per ton or at the rate of \$112.20 per acre.

These are only a few of the many cases which are given with a view to show the value of products per acre, while land readily sells at from \$50 to \$175 per acre for beet culture. The 10 per cent beet mentioned above which yielded \$112.20 per acre would be about the average for New Mexico, while a single factory will pay out and distribute among farmers in one season nearly \$500,000 which is kept at home in local circulation. Is it not apparent that with beet culture and factories to consume the raw material, cultivated lands throughout New Mexico would advance in value from \$75 to \$150 per acre, that now lay dormant, so to speak, and for which there is no sale at present at mere nominal figures. As this article is perhaps already too lengthy, I will reserve making mention of many other advantages connected with the industry which puts money in the pockets of everybody, especially the farmer, for subsequent articles, respectfully suggesting to you spend an hour or two interviewing some of the business men of our city with a view to call public meetings, organize and go to work in earnest, and at the same time urge the business men throughout the territory to do likewise. The Bureau of Immigration should (if it has not in preparation) arrange to issue at least 20,000 pamphlets on the subject for distribution at the Transmississippi exposition. In this connection I would be glad to donate all the information I have on the subject, provided I am given credit for same.

In conclusion I earnestly suggest we all pull and push together from date to planting time, and see if something tangible can be accomplished.

## INDIANAPOLIS MONETARY CONVENTION

Establishment of a National Department of Commerce Favored—Speech in Support of Gold Standard.

Indianapolis, Jan. 26.—The monetary convention convened at 10 o'clock this morning. The secretary read telegrams from various commercial bodies endorsing the plan of the commission.

E. J. Parker, of Illinois, presented a resolution approving the efforts of the National Business League to forward the movement toward the establishment of a national department of commerce and industries, the head of which shall be a member of the cabinet.

Charles S. Fairchild, ex-secretary of the treasury, delivered a speech in support of the gold standard.

The monetary convention this afternoon adopted resolutions which cordially approve the plan for currency reform submitted by the commission. The convention then adjourned subject to the call of the executive committee.

## MARKET REPORTS.

New York, Jan. 26.—Money on call easy 1½ @ 2 per cent; prime mercantile paper, 3 @ 3½; silver, 56½; lead, \$3.50; copper, 10½.

Chicago.—Wheat, January, 81; May, 84½. Corn, January, 27½; May, 29¼ @ 30. Oats, January, 22½; May, 23½ @ 24. Chicago.—Cattle, receipts, 16,000; market firm to 10c higher; beefs, \$4.00 @ \$4.50; cows and heifers, \$3.20 @ \$4.50; Texas steers, \$3.00 @ \$4.45; stockers and feeders, \$3.40 @ \$4.45. Sheep, receipts, 8,000; strong to 10 cents higher; native sheep, \$3.10 @ \$4.70; westerns, \$3.00 @ \$4.65; lambs, \$4.25 @ \$5.00.

Kansas City.—Cattle, receipts, 9,000; strong; Texas steers, \$3.45 @ \$4.20; Tex. cows, \$2.40 @ \$3.20; native steers, \$3.15 @ \$5.00; native cows and heifers, \$2.00 @ \$4.25; stockers and feeders, \$3.50 @ \$5.00; bulls, \$3.20 @ \$4.65. Sheep, receipts, 3,000; market firm; lambs, \$4.35 @ \$5.60; muttons, \$3.50 @ \$4.40.

## New Mexico Pension.

Theodore Garcia, of Lumberton, N. M., has been granted a pension of \$8 per month.

## ALBUQUERQUE NOTES.

Mrs. Rena Potter has commenced a damage suit against the Water Supply company for \$25,000 for injury sustained in the drowning of her son, Folger, in the reservoir last October.

District Court Clerk Owen drew the grand and petit juries for the next term of the district court in Valencia county this morning. The court will open on the third Monday in February.

John Enson and Mrs. Antonio Gonzales were united in marriage on Monday night. Justice T. A. Lucero performed the ceremony. The bride was from San Francisco and the groom a few weeks.

Messrs. Kinner and Key, of the Santa Fe engineering department, will go up to Algodones today to survey some proposed track changes. Resident Engineer E. W. Grant, of Las Vegas, is expected to join them.

Mannetta Baca de Perea, the widow of Baldasare Perea, died at Bernalillo at 4 o'clock on Tuesday morning from heart disease, aged 65 years. The funeral took place at Bernalillo at 9 a. m. this morning. The deceased was the aunt of Mrs. Pedro Perea.

The case of the Albuquerque Land & Irrigation company vs. T. C. Gutierrez et al., which was to come up before Judge Crumpacker this morning, was adjourned until 10 a. m. Thursday on motion of the plaintiff, when the court will decide whether the temporary injunction against the defendants, commanding them not to interfere with the ditch surveys, shall be made permanent.

This morning, between 6 and 7 o'clock, a small boy tried to enter the grocery store of Gregorio Ribera, on the "Alley" in old town, but not gaining entrance looked through the glass door and saw a man stretched at length on the floor. An alarm was given, and upon investigation the man was found to be dead. He proved to be Antonio A. Ribera, father of Gregorio Ribera, who had used the store as a sleeping place, says the Citizen of yesterday. Dr. Hope made an autopsy and said death was caused by heart failure. The deceased was 55 years old.

Charles H. Matthews, the bridge superintendent, who was injured at the first cave-in of the Johnson canon tunnel, near Williams, A. T., died at the hospital in this city at 5:30 o'clock on yesterday morning. He was brought to the hospital January 19, and was then suffering with a dislocation of the left hip, besides a number of burns on the body from the hot rock which fell upon him. It is also probable that he inhaled considerable smoke, which may have been the principal cause of his death.

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## NEW MEXICO APPLES.

The Orchardists in the East Must Look to Their Laurels.

The best display of fruit seen in Scranton in many a day is a collection of New Mexican apples in the window of Clark, the florist. They fill a large glass case and are veritable "apples of gold." If New Mexico produces such fruit as this she certainly has received the choicest favors of the Goddess Pomona. Some of these beautiful spheres are flaming red, others golden yellow or crimson and violet. There are blushing Winesaps, Golden Pemesans, transparent white, None Such and gorgeous striped Ben Davis. If such fruit could replace some of the disreputable worm-eaten and effete apples found in our markets at the present time, many a heart would rejoice as the memory of the apples of childhood come racing back, for there are none so delectable as those of Auld Lang Syne, except it may be those reminders from far away New Mexico. We hope our agricultural friends may see them. The growers in the west, it is said, are planting largely with an eye to the eastern market, so a word to the wise may be sufficient. The orchardist in the east must prune and cultivate or his far away competitor with a superior article will come in and take his home market in fruit, as he already has in cereal.—Scranton, Pennsylvania, Tribune.

## LAS VEGAS NOTES.

Miss Juanita Aguillo, aged 19, died at the home of her parents in the old town, on Sunday. The funeral took place on Monday afternoon from her home.

The Montezuma now has 68 regular guests besides the large number of transient visitors. This is the greatest number of guests there in a long time, says the Examiner.

An order of court has been entered authorizing W. G. Haydon, assignee of the Las Vegas Brewing company, to effect a loan of \$150 for the purpose of utilizing the stock on hand.

Although the expensive repairs at the railroad hospital have not yet been entirely completed, patients are again being received. Four new ones came in on Monday, making eight in all.

Lorenzo Valdez, who has been in the city looking after certain Indian deputation claims coming to himself, left for the Conchos on Monday afternoon, satisfied that his claims, amounting to several thousand dollars, will be allowed in the next few weeks, says the Optic.

At the meeting of the Congregation Montefiore, on Monday afternoon, the following officers were elected for the ensuing year: J. Judell, president; Chas. Rosenthal, vice president; Leon Manco, treasurer; Emanuel Manco; secretary. Trustees: D. Winteritz, A. Straus, Wm. Rosenthal, Sig Nahn, Ike Davis.

The St. Louis Republic speaks of the political aspirations of a former president of the San Miguel National Bank, of Las Vegas, now a resident of Carrollton, Mo., as follows: "And now Colonel William M. Eads, of Carrollton, is announced as a candidate for congress in the Second district, making three out of four possible opponents that Congressman Bodine will have to contend against. The Second district will probably afford the most interesting contest that will take place in any of the Democratic congressional districts this summer."

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